

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2425 Session of
2018

INTRODUCED BY GREINER, M. QUINN, BIZZARRO, ROTHMAN, JAMES,
PICKETT, LONGIETTI, RYAN, FEE, CUTLER, DIGIROLAMO, HAHN,
HICKERNELL, GROVE, MILLARD, READSHAW, BERNSTINE, HILL-EVANS,
MENTZER, COX, SONNEY, DUSH, WARD AND CALTAGIRONE,
MAY 18, 2018

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MAY 18, 2018

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 1010 over
2 the Conestoga River, Lancaster County, as the Sergeant Melvin
3 R. Wink Memorial Bridge.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Sergeant Melvin R. Wink Memorial Bridge.

7 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
8 follows:

9 (1) Sergeant Melvin R. Wink was a native of Bareville
10 and graduated from Conestoga Valley High School.

11 (2) Sergeant Wink served with the United States Army
12 Troop A, 3rd Squadron, 4th Cavalry Regiment, 25th Infantry
13 Division.

14 (3) Sergeant Wink was killed in action when he was on a
15 reconnaissance mission in Cambodia with his unit, which was
16 ambushed with small arms fire and rocket propelled grenades.

17 (4) Sergeant Wink was awarded the Army Commendation

1 Medal, Bronze Star "V" Device, Bronze Star First Oak Leaf
2 Cluster, Silver Star, Purple Heart, Military Merit Medal,
3 Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Medal and Marksmanship
4 Medal for Rifle, Auto Rifle, Machine Gun and Grenade and two
5 Action in Vietnam Medals.

6 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on State Route 1010 in
7 West Earl Township, Lancaster County, over the Conestoga River
8 is designated the Sergeant Melvin R. Wink Memorial Bridge.

9 (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
10 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the bridge to
11 traffic in both directions on the bridge.

12 Section 2. Effective date.

13 This act shall take effect in 60 days.